

THE ADVOCATE.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Attorney General Hendrick has decided that twelve men constitute a grand jury.

The elections in Chicago have resulted in a complete victory for the Liberals over the Clerical party.

John Russ, a white man, was lynched at Columbia, La., for the murder of an aged negro woman.

The Second Methodist Ecumenical Council, after a twelve days' session in Washington, adjourned Tuesday.

Nine hundred cabinet makers who struck in Chicago September 1, have returned to work at the old schedule.

Byron McClellan has entered suit in the Fayette Circuit Court against the Kentucky Association for \$2,287 due him for sales and purses won.

Mr. Reed refused Mr. Haggin's offer of \$125,000 for St. Blaise, which cost him \$15,000. The horse went to his new home in Tennessee last week.

Work will be commenced at once at Owensboro on a \$10,000 creamery. It will employ a large force of hands and will use \$75,000 worth of milk a year.

The Boyd-Thayer case, arising out of the contest over the Nebraska Governorship, has been assigned for argument before the Supreme Court of the United States the first Monday in December.

Wm. B. Griffith, a prominent farmer and mule trader, of Jackson-vill, Bourbon county, assigned to his father, Wm. Griffith, on Wednesday. Liabilities about \$25,000 and assets the same.

Mr. Return Jonathan Meigs, who has been clerk of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia since its organization in 1863, is dead at Washington. Mr. Meigs was ninety years old and was appointed by President Lincoln.

The Chesapeake & Ohio and South-western Railroad Company some time since removed the machine shops from Elizabethtown to Paducah. Now the trustees of the former town sue the road for \$200,000 damages for violation of contract.

Physicians of Arkansas county, Ark. have formed a combination with the intention of attending no patients who do not pay their bills. The people of Chester township have boycotted the doctors on account of the "trust," and much bitterness exists.

Building Inspector McDonald figures it out that the great cyclone of last March a year caused a loss of \$554,206 upon 766 buildings in this city. The total number of deaths from the same cause was seventy-eight. —Louisville Times.

Cleveland has a new girl baby and Pattison has a newer girl baby. Campbell, Boies, Russell and Gorman are the outlying precincts yet to be heard from. Is there a Charles Reed among them to "earthquake" all the other fellows with a boy pair? —Louisville Times.

While Chas. Craus, of Waymansville, Ind., was hunting last Wednesday, he accidentally shot himself in the foot. Being unable to walk, his dog returned home in such an excited condition as to show that something was wrong. Members of the family followed the dog to where Craus was bleeding upon the ground.

The fight for the Governorship of Oklahoma is becoming a general scramble, with two or three candidates from each town in the Territory. The list of aspirants includes a negro. The old capital fight will be revived, and the entire Territory become torn up. The President will probably appoint an Eastern man.

The Midland Railroad, Montgomery county and Judge Lindsay are going to bring a \$100,000 suit against the new Constitution. Now, this is business, and not a barren abstraction like the Evans-Miller suit. The Public Printer should be made a party defendant. He is the bad, bald-headed villain at the bottom of the whole business. —Louisville Times.

E. F. Garcia, paying teller of the Louisiana National Bank, is a defaulter to the extent of \$190,000. His shortage has been skillfully covered from bank officials for fifteen years. The bank has a capital of about \$500,000, with a surplus of about \$300,000.

Editor Havens, of the Mt. Sterling Sentinel-Democrat, runs a "hoodoo" department in his paper under the head of "Our Old Relics." When he retires from the Insurance Bureau, of which he is a useful feature, it is the intention of Brother Havens to open a museum, with the man who makes the puns for his paper as lecturer. —[The Capital.

It is reported that ex-Governor Bob Taylor has signed a contract to give 100 lectures in leading Southern cities, for which he will receive \$10,000. The title of his lecture is to be "The Fiddle and the Bow," and the tour is to begin at Knoxville. Gov. Taylor is one of the best stump speakers in Tennessee, and has the faculty of telling jokes in such a manner as to render argument useless by any speaker in a joint debate.

When the Governor of Georgia met the Governor of New York in Atlanta Tuesday, that stereotyped remark was omitted. Hill claims to be a Democrat, but defiantly confesses that he has never tasted spirituous, vinous or malt liquor, used tobacco in any form, or indulged in language stronger than the moral law sanctions. If this is Democracy, the thing has changed greatly since Andy Jackson died. —Louisville Times.

John D. Rockefeller, who has a larger income than any other man in America, has been hard at work in pursuit of his lost health the last summer. He has spent four months on his farm in Ohio, and has given himself up entirely to outdoor pursuits. Arrayed in overalls and shirt sleeves, he has worked with his men plowing and planting his fields and cultivating and gathering his crops. He has sawed wood for days, and has shoveled the earth for roadways in his township.

News comes from Amoy, China, giving the details of a terrible epidemic of cholera. Hundreds of people have died, and American and English missionaries are falling victims to the scourge. The suburbs of Chin Kiang are devastated by it. The white cloth and pieces of coarse hemp, signs of mourning, are to be seen on nearly every door-post in the villages. The ignorant rustics instead of taking preventative measures, have recourse to worshipping the God of Sickness and Death. Large sums of money have been subscribed to burn sacrifices and to act theatrical plays to please the terrible deity.

Gov. Campbell keeps on throwing challenges from the stump in Ohio at Major McKinley, with whom he wants to cancel all dates and engage in a series of joint debates. His challenge to any Republican for the production of a single wage-worker in America whose wages have been increased by the McKinley tariff continues to go unanswered. Postmaster-General Wanamaker also comes in for a share of his attention. He charges the pious head of the postal service with getting his commodities manufactured in England by cheap labor, and then entering suit against the United States government for a collection of the duties which he had paid upon the importation of products thus manufactured.

A special to the Courier-Journal from San Francisco, Cal., says: "The recent earthquake in Central and Northern California occasioned phenomenal results in Sonoma county. On the Polpulo ranch of J. E. Peppe, the ground was cracked and seamed in various places. From these narrow openings in the earth large quantities of water of various temperatures have been gushing forth ever since. In some places the water is ice cold, while in others it is warm, reaching a temperature of 100 degrees. The flow of Gen. Valejo's artesian well has been increased about 100,000 gallons per twenty four hours. On Capt. Joy's farm the flow of gas from his natural gas has been increased to a great extent, and a spring that has hitherto been cold has been converted into a basin of hot water.

A remarkable case is that of Miss Mary White, a young school teacher, living near Lansing, Mich. She has been asleep in her physician's house for 135 days, and can only be aroused for a half hour at a time, and then with great difficulty.

BUSINESS.

With a decrease of 3.5 per cent. in the total of clearings for the United States as compared with the same week last year, and an increase of 24 in the number of failures, it is still believed the condition of business in this country is in a very hopeful condition.

Collections are improving almost everywhere. Money is not difficult to obtain on reasonably good paper, though the demand during the week has been large. Crop receipts are very heavy and prices are ruling high. Exports for the week have outrun imports, and the record for September is that our trade with foreign countries shows an improvement of \$28,000,000 over September a year ago, and an actual excess of exports of \$21,000,000. Perhaps important as anything else, as a result of these conditions, confidence seems to be fully restored and capital is moving freely in co-operation with labor to the supply of all needs and the improvement of the world as man's home.

Financial conditions are not very notably changed from a week ago. The Bank of England lost during the week about two million dollars in gold, but has not changed its rates. The United States Treasury distributed during the week \$1,500,000 more than it took in, and the bank statement is very favorable, showing an increase of reserve of \$3,361,450, and the large total excess of reserve of \$12,391,150.

Leaf tobacco had a strong market for most useful styles. The outlook for the crop now to come in has not greatly changed, though it is generally held that it will lack "body," by which is meant thickness of leaf and weight per unit of surface. "Papery" is the word oftenest used to describe the unfavorable condition anticipated.

The wheat crop is now placed by many at 650,000,000. The movement of wheat in the Northwest has been large, and prices have declined 4¢.

Corn has had an active, strong week. The supply of corn for immediate use seems short and there is still uncertainty as to the coming crop. As a consequence prices have advanced during the week. —Courier-Journal, Oct. 26.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Taken up as Stray—On last Saturday, Oct. 10, one bay horse, 4 years old, 15½ hands high, with star in forehead, shod all around, and a very good saddle horse. The owner can have same by proving property and paying charges.

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The 125th anniversary of American Methodism was celebrated in New York Sunday in the first Methodist Episcopal church established in this country.

There was a coal mine explosion at Glenwood Springs, Col., Sunday. The mine is a total wreck, and two men are buried in it.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

T. H. Carter has his tin shop at his residence on High street, till he can rebuild his store on East Main street. He is prepared to do all work in his line, such as Roofing, Guttering, etc., etc. For first-class work, give him a call; he never fails to give satisfaction to his customers. 44-t

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